



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Hong Jiang

Serial No.: 09/895,307

Filed: June 29, 2001

For: **Method, Apparatus and System for
Multi-Layer Scalable Video Coding**

Examiner: Cathey II, Patrick H

Group Art Unit: 2613

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Post Office Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 11, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments start on page 9 of this paper.